

NEW SERIES - FOLLOWING JESUS TOGETHER
BELONG TOGETHER
MOVING BEYOND ATTENDANCE AND BELIEF

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UNLEASHED
CHRISTIAN CHURCH
TEACHING NOTES

**You may come to church alone,
but you were never meant to follow Jesus alone.**

Romans 12:4-5 (NIV)

For just as each of us has one body with many members...so in Christ we, though many, form one body, and each member belongs to all the others.

- No one will become like Jesus on their own.
- God made us to not be alone - Genesis 2:18 (NIV)
- Belief begins your faith, but belonging shapes your life.
- The primary way God shapes our character is through people.

Hebrews 10:24-25 (NIV)

And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

What Keeps Us from Belonging?

- Fear of being known
- Past hurt in a church
- The busyness of life
- Pride and selfishness

Choose to be Vulnerable

Belonging requires vulnerability, and vulnerability always feels risky. Every one of us wants belonging, but every one of us fears being fully known.

What Belonging Looks Like - The “One Another’s”

- Love one another.
- Encourage one another.
- Serve one another.
- Bear one another’s burdens.
- Be devoted to one another.
- Accept one another.
- Teach/admonish one another.
- Confess your sins to one another.
- Forgive one another.

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Takeaway

Before next Sunday take the next step: Join a group. Commit to serve. Invite two or three people to meet regularly. Deciding that you won’t sit anonymously anymore.

NEXT WEEK: THE WORDS OF JESUS ON THE CROSS

*We’re so glad you joined us. If you would like more information about God, Jesus and the Bible, please talk with any of our church leaders.
Thank you for joining us!*